



**2022**

## Anna Maria Island Privateers, Inc. Scholarship Application

Please complete the application in its entirety.  
Incomplete applications will not be considered for scholarship awards. The  
deadline for this application to be postmarked is March 1, 2022  
No exceptions!

**Purpose:** To provide scholarships to deserving area youth that have need of financial assistance, are active in supporting the community in which they live and show an eagerness to achieve by intending to pursue post-high school coursework at either a college, university or other post-secondary educational institution.

1. DEADLINE for scholarship applications is to be postmarked by March 1, 2022. (no exceptions).
2. Refer to criteria below for eligibility requirements.
3. Refer to application process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e., reference forms, evidence of GPA, statement of need, essay, etc.) Incomplete applications will not be considered.
4. If any question does not apply to you in this application please put N/A in the space.
5. Type or print legibly. Illegible applications will not be considered.
6. You will be notified by email in mid-May regarding the status of your application.
7. If you have any questions about the application please contact a member of the Anna Maria Island Privateers Board of Directors or the Scholarship Committee Chair.
8. The Anna Maria Island Privateers' policy is to renew scholarships to students that have maintained a GPA of 3.0 or higher, continue to demonstrate positive attributes exhibited on the previous scholarship application(s) and that reapply each year meeting all criteria.
9. Scholarship funds will only be awarded to the student's college or university account upon evidence of registration in an accredited post-secondary institution.

### Criteria:

1. Applicant must be a resident of Manatee County.
2. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior or enrolled in an accredited post-secondary institution in the year of the scholarship award.
3. Applicant must demonstrate positive involvement, consistent with capacity and circumstances, and/or significant success in scholarship and community involvement, determined through letters of recommendation and other requested documentation.

### Application Process:

Applicant must submit the following items:

1. Completed application form (if handwritten, please print legibly)
2. Three (3) letters of recommendations from choice of high school teachers, administrators, counselors, employers, or individual with significant knowledge of applicant's experience and involvement.
3. An official and recent high school and/or college/university transcript with cumulative grade point average.
4. Essay. In your essay, please write on the topic posted later in this application.
5. Statement of Need. Please list reasons why scholarship funds are needed for the furtherance of your education.
6. RENEWING SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS need only provide a current transcript showing a 3.0 GPA has been maintained, along with only the first page of the application form. If your GPA has fallen below 3.0, please provide a statement as to any mitigating circumstances which may have contributed to the lower GPA. Scholarships will not be renewed if the GPA is below 3.0 and no letter of explanation has been provided. Also, please verify your current college ID and billing office address, or provide the new information if you are changing schools.

**Please mail the application to:**

Anna Maria Island Privateers, Inc.  
ATTN: Scholarship Committee  
P.O. Box 1238  
Holmes Beach, FL 34218



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Please type or print your answers. If application is illegible it will be returned to you.		
Last Name:	First Name:	
Mailing Address: Street: _____		
City:	State:	ZIP:
Email:		
Telephone Number: (                    )		
Date of Birth:    Month	Day	Year
Current School:	Number of years attended:	
I will be attending the following school in the <u>Fall of 2022</u> : _____		
I will be entering the above-mentioned school as a: (Circle one)  Freshman      Sophomore      Junior      Senior		
Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale) Attach proof of GPA. Your most recent official school transcript required.		
ACT Score: _____      Or SAT Score: _____ Your ACT or SAT score on your official high school transcript is acceptable. Otherwise, please provide a copy of the official score notification form.		



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Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): Use reverse side of application if you need more space.

Name (s):

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State:

ZIP:

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Family: Brothers:

Sisters:

Other family members residing in home:

Name and city of other high schools attended, if applicable.

Number of years attended:

If decided. What specialty/major and/or minor do you plan to study as you continue your education?

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Comments:

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Use an additional sheet if you need more room to list financial information, educational goals, academic honors and community service activities as requested.



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	What are your educational and professional goals and objectives?
	Do you have academic honors, awards and membership activities while in high school if so, please list:
	What are your community service activities, hobbies, outside interests, and extracurricular activities:

<b>Essay:</b>	
Please write on the following topic: Describe how you are going to help or be a part of your local community now and in the future.	
	Three (3) letters of recommendations. Return these completed forms in an attached document from your teachers or professors.
	Proof of college acceptance or current student enrollment. A letter of college acceptance or program acceptance is required for receipt of funds.
	Most recent <u>official</u> high school transcript. Photocopies of your transcript are <u>not acceptable</u> . School counselors may email scholarship committee.
	Essay.  _____
	<u>Statement of Need.</u> Describe what circumstances in your, or your family's life, have led to the financial need for this scholarship.



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**STATEMENT OF ACCURACY**

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent that, if selected, my picture and name may be used for publicity purposes in connection with this scholarship, or to promote the Anna Maria Island Privateers, Inc. scholarship program.

I hereby understand that, if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to the Anna Maria Island Privateers, Inc. Scholarship policy, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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